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Practitioner's Docket No. 03124

PATENT

#### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Gillen et al.

Application No.: 0

Group No.:

Examiner:

Filed: For:

Protective Body Vest

**Assistant Commissioner for Patents** 

Washington, D.C. 20231

ATTENTION: Group Director, Group \_\_\_\_\_ (M.P.E.P. § 1002.02(c))

#### PETITION TO MAKE SPECIAL BECAUSE OF APPLICANT'S HEALTH (37 C.F.R. § 1.102(c) and M.P.E.P. § 708.02 III)

NOTE: See M.P.E.P. § 708.02, 7th ed.

Applicant hereby petitions to make this application special because applicant's state of health is such that he/she might not be available to assist in the prosecution of this application, if it were to run its normal course.

As a showing of this fact, accompanying this petition is:

(check one of the following)

□ a certificate by applicant's doctor.

Kik other: Statement by Attending Physician (2p).

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.102(c), no fee is required for this petition.

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Michael K. Cochran, M.D. David J. Slivnick, M.D. Dean G. Tsarwhas, M.D. Robert W. Mandal, M.D. Michael B. Soble, M.D.



April 8, 2002

Re: James Gillen

To Whom It May Concern:

James Gillen is a patient of mine with a diagnosis of an islet cell carcinoma of the pancreas with hepatic metastases. The patient to date has undergone surgery at the Mayo Clinic as well as chronic suppressive therapy with monthly Sandostatin. At this time, he has progressive disease within the liver and will need further treatment possibly to include chemotherapy, additional surgery, or radioactive Sandostatin. Mr. Gillen's case clearly involves metastatic cancer with a very guarded prognosis.

If additional information is required, please contact me.

Sincerely,

Michael K. Cochran, M.D.

# FEB 2 7 2004 SEE

# ATTENDING PHYSICIAN'S SUPPLEMENTAL STATEMENT ACCIDENT OR SICKNESS

Please Answer All Questions

TO BE COMPLETED BY ATTENDING PHYSICIAN



1. DIAGNOSIS (including complications)
a Diagnosis (including and
b. Subjective symptoms DIARANGA TEATIGNS  TO SUBJECTIVE SYMPTOMS DIARANGA TEATIGNS  TO SUBJECTIVE SYMPTOMS DIARANGA TEATIGNS
c. Objective findings (including current X-rays, EKG's, Laboratory Data and any clinical findings) るくっつ ラファッミ よこれい
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b. Frequency Weekly Monthly Dobby (Co. 1)
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3. NATURE OF TREATMENT (Including Surgery and medications prescribed, if any)  ハ いって イン ノ ム イロット シュー・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・
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Confined from through Ariv- wis charge and Address of Hospital 3/12-3/15/5  5. CARDIAC (If Applicable)
a. Functional capacity Class 1 (No limitation) Class 2 (Slight limitation)
Class (Marked limitation) Class 4 (Complete limitation)
(American Heart Association)
b. Blood Pressure (last visit) systolic/diastolic
6 RESTRICTIONS (what the patient SURVIVO WOT
LIMITATIONS (what the patient SHOULD NOT do)
7. MENTAL IMPAIRMENT (if applicable) Provide 5 AXIS Diagnosis
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iii.
IV. V.
Remarks: .
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8. PROGNOSIS  a. Is patient now totally disabled?  PATIENT'S JOB  ANYOTHER WORK
b. What duties of patient's job is he/she incapable of performing?  ANYOTHER WORK  Yes \( \sum \) No
Do you expect a fundamental or marked change in the future of the future
sufficiently to perform decover
sufficiently to perform duties Mo. Day Yr. 1-3 Mos. 13-6 Mos. 11 Mo. 3-6 Mos. 2. If no, please explain Mo. Day Yr. 1-3 Mos. Never Mo. Day Yr. 1-3 Mos. Never
9. REHABILITATION  a. Is patient a suitable candidate for further rehabits it.  PATIENT'S JOB  ANY OTHER WORK
services? (i.e., cardionulmonary program, speech themselved.)  Yes No Tyes Vivo
o. If Chiployer Call accommodate Datient's limitations and contrictions.
C. What date would employment begin?
0. Would vocational counseling and/or retraining be recommended?
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